

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 4907
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Yoichi KAKUDO et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1783
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Application No.: 10/582,336)	Examiner: Walter A. Moore
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Filed: May 25, 2007)	
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For: FERMENTED MALT BEVERAGE		

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

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Commissioner for Patents
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Applicants hereby request an Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in the appeal of the above-identified application.

The fee for this Request for Oral Hearing is **\$1,080.00**. (37 CFR 41.20(b)(3).)

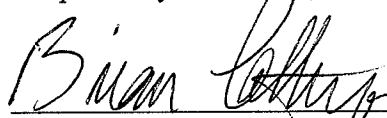
The undersigned is an attorney or agent of record.

Payment is being made by credit card. EXCEPT for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0573.

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